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Hon. John G. Koeltl United States District Cour

Southern District of New York

500 Pearl Street

New York, NY 10007

Re: Comcast Cable Commc'ns, LLC v. Mission Broadcasting, Inc., Case No. 1:21-cv-06860

Dear Judge Koeltl:

Pursuant to Rule VI.A.2 of Your Honor's Individual Practices, Third-Party Defendant Mission Broadcasting, Inc. ("Mission") respectfully moves to permanently seal the unredacted version of Plaintiff and Counterclaim-Defendant Nexstar Media Inc.'s ("Nexstar") Request for Pre-Motion Conference (ECF No. 80).

Nexstar's Request for Pre-Motion Conference contains references to, and verbatim quotations from, a confidential Retransmission Consent Agreement between Third-Party Plaintiff Comcast Cable Communications, LLC ("Comcast") and Mission (the "Mission-Comcast RCA"). As Mission explained in a prior motion to seal, Comcast and Mission agreed to maintain the strict confidentiality of the Mission-Comcast RCA, which contains highly confidential business and competitive information that is not generally known in the market. See ECF No. 59.

On May 24, 2022, this Court granted Mission's motion and entered an Order permanently sealing the portions of Comcast's Third-Party Complaint and Answer and Counterclaim referencing and/or quoting from the Mission-Comcast RCA. See ECF No. 64. Because Nexstar's Request for Pre-Motion Conference likewise references and quotes from the Mission-Comcast RCA, Mission requests that the redacted portions of Nexstar's Request for Pre-Motion Conference likewise remain permanently sealed.

Mission has met and conferred with both Nexstar and Comcast, and neither opposes this letter-motion. Accordingly, Mission hereby requests that the Court permit (i) the unredacted version of Nexstar's Request for Pre-Motion Conference (ECF No. 80) to remain permanently sealed, and (ii) only the redacted version of Nexstar's Request for Pre-Motion Conference (ECF No. 81) to remain on the public docket.

We are available to provide any further information that may aid the Court in its determination of this matter.

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Respectfully submitted,

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